

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: § Confirmation No.: 3361
FURTEK, et al. §
Serial No.: 10/719,409 § Group Art Unit: 2182
Filed: November 22, 2003 § Examiner: Scott C. SUN
For: INPUT/OUTPUT §
CONTROLLER NODE IN AN §
ADAPTABLE COMPUTING §
ENVIRONMENT §

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Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 9, 2009

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 9, 2009, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on September 9, 2009, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. Although Applicant believes that no additional fees are due in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/NVDA/P002849/JCC for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.